

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY PORT LOUIS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5532

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E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJECT: BIRTH RATES FOR MAURITIUS

ACCORDING TO HEAD MAURITIUS FAMILY PLANNING ASSOCIATION, REASONS  
FOR RISES IN BIRTH RATE STILL UNCLEAR. INITIAL EXPLANATION THAT  
INCREASE IN MARRIAGE RATE IN EARLY 1970S (SEE PORT LOUIS  
A-018) WAS CAUSE OF RISE IN BIRTHS NOW IN DOUBT SINCE  
INVESTIGATION SHOWS INCREASED BIRTH RATE OCCURRING IN WOMEN AGE  
34-40 WITH THREE OR MORE CHILDREN. UNDP SPECIALIST AND GOM  
ATTEMPTING TO PIN-POINT REASONS INCREASE BIRTH RATE IN THIS AGE  
GROUP. FURTHER REPORTING WILL BE SENT BY AIRGRAM.  
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